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In response to the election of species requirement dated October 13, 2004, Applicants elect species 1, Figs. 1-2, for initial examination. Claims 1-3 read on both the elected species 1. Generic claims are pending. The election is made without traverse. An early and favorable action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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